County Line

County Line, August 17.- Some farmers in this section are having their tobacco crop sprayed from airplane.

Mr. Frank Moore and family and Mr. Perlie Jones spent Saturday at Buggs Island.

Mr. Howard Jordan and family are visiting in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jordan.

Mrs. Collier Marshall and two nieces of Ohio are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Marshall.

Jimmie Marshall, U. S. Navy, also spent the week-end in the same home.

Mrs. Minnie Foster, of Richmond has been visiting her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Everette Ferguson.

Miss Marie Ferguson, of Lynchburg spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Everette Ferguson.

The three sons of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ferguson spent last week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs Everette Ferguson.

Mrs. Annie Powell visited her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bascom Powell Sunday A. M.

Miss Gaynell Irby and D. B. Irby visited in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Irby over the week-end.

We welcome Mr. and Mrs. Walter Arrington back to their home near here.

Miss Ann Riley, of near Rustburg is spending this week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Mann.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Jones and daughter, Lorine, of Newport News visited in the home of his brother Vernie Jones Sunday P. M.

Mrs. Vernie Jones spent Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dean Pugh and Saturday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Mary Ferguson and family.

Miss Lorine Stanley spent the week-end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Scruggs near Red House.

MOW PASTURES IN AUGUST

If late summer and fall weeds are a problem in your pastures, clip them in August.

Agronomists at VPI say that the exact time to mow will depend on the weeds present in the pasture. The important thing is to mow before the weeds go to seed.

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Richwood

Richwood, August 17.- "Let each reform himself and not his neighbor." —Quoted.

Mrs. Victor Jones is spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Marsh and Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Pugh.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Ferguson and daughter, Judy, of Lynchburg were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Wooldridge.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. David Martin in Lynchburg Hospital a baby girl, August 15.

G. P. Brannan and daughters Val and Georgie Belle and Mrs. T. T. Wooldridge were in Lynchburg Thursday.

Frank Moore spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Moore and family.

Mr. and Mrs. G. I. Watt, of Washington are spending a few days at their home here.

Richwood, August 17.- Cpl. James Slagle, who is now stationed at Fort Mead, Maryland, spent the week-end with his wife at Evergreen.

Miss Elaine Wilbun had as her guests over the week-end Misses Shirley and June Fleshman.

Miss Nellie Dews, from Madison Heights spent her vacation last week with her sister, Mrs. C. S. Wilbun, of Appomattox.

Miss Elaine Wilbun, Shirley and June Fleshman called on Miss Peggy Wilbun Sunday, at Rolling Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Wilbun had as dinner guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. James Slagle, Misses June and Shirley Fleshman and Miss Nellie Dews.

Mrs. G. L. Reynolds has returned to her home in Man, West. Va. after spending her vacation with her sisters and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. I. T. Wilbun called in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Wilbun Saturday.

Miss Sandra Dews spent last week with Miss Elaine Wilbun, of Appomattox.

Rocks

Rocks, August 16.- Farmers are busy cutting tobacco.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Elder received a notice of the arrival of another granddaughter, Linda Kay, born on July 20 to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Elder, of Germany.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ranson and Johnny and Mr. and Mrs. Otis Ranson and Charlene were vacationing at Virginia Beach a few days recently.

Robert Roach and sons, Stanley and Johnny were improving the cemetery for Mrs. D. R. Inge Friday.

James Taylor was doing some work for Otis Ranson Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Elder attended the revival at Salem Church on Wednesday night.

A few of the Ruritan members from here attended the supper at Pamplin Friday night.

Randall Wooldridge had charge of the prayer service here Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Marks and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ranson attended the revival meeting at Mt. Comfort Church on Wednesday night.

The monthly W. M. S. meeting was held at the church on Thursday night. The attendance was small.

Mr. and Mrs. Toby Inge took their son, Philip Edward to Lynchburg to see a doctor there Tuesday. He is better after being quite sick last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Roach are all smiles. It's another girl, Brenda Diane, born on August 11.

Quite a few attended the baptizing at Old Rocks Sunday afternoon, for the Evergreen field of churches.

J. P. Ransone, Jr., of Norfolk was in the neighborhood Sunday afternoon enroute home from Roanoke. Mrs. D. R. Inge accompanied him to Norfolk where she will spend this week with her daughter, Mrs. J. P. Ransone, Jr.

Sandra Roach spent Wednesday night in Cumberland with Wanda Sue Whaley.

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Chick Chats

An excellent time to cull flocks is when pullets are being moved from the range to the laying house. Keep only those pullets that have good laying qualities. It doesn't pay to feed hens that won't lay.

In choosing future layers, keep in mind these points: head type, eye, body size and conformation, general health, uniformity, early maturity and, if hatching eggs are to be produced, breed disqualifications.

Birds selected for the laying flock should display neither a crow-type nor beefy head. Pullets with clear-cut, rugged, alert heads that are fine in quality are likely to be the best layers.

Pullets just coming into production will exhibit a full, red, waxy comb and wattles. The face may tend to have a fat appearance which will disappear as the bird lays more. A prominent, keen, sparkling eye is judged to indicate a good physical condition.

Body Capacity

Body capacity is a breed characteristic that is influenced by the proper selection of breeding stock. In order to produce efficiently for a long period, the layer must have the capacity to utilize large amounts of feed. A large body provides ample room for the housing and functioning of vital organs.

Other ways of measuring capacity are: the distance between the pubic bones on either side of the vent, the distance from these bones to the tip of the keel bone, the distance between the ribs and the width and length of the back. The first two of these are most commonly used ..for example a 3-finger spread between the pubic bones indicates a good layer as does a 4-finger distance between the public bones and the keel bone.

Good Health

Select birds that exhibit good health for the pullet flock. Select birds that are uniform in size and if the flock is to produce hatching eggs, eliminate birds with crooked toes, off-colored feathers, side sprigs and other undesirable physical characteristics.

Sexual maturity is considered to be the age at which the pullet lays her first egg. Early sexual maturity is related to the number of eggs a pullet will lay in her first year. This is important to the flock owner.

MILK PRODUCTION AT RECORD LEVEL IN U. S.

Dairymen in the United States set a milk production record of 121 billion pounds last year, and it looks as though they will set another this year, VPI economists say.

There was a sharp reduction in production from May to June because of the drouth, but this is not likely to cut overall production.

WHAT THE BREADWINNER EATS

The man of the family generally has been considered one of the best-fed members. True though this may be of the farmer, a recent survey by the New Jersey Experiment Sation of 600 men working in industrial plants shows that many are not getting their daily three square meals, but are overdoing sweet snacks between meals. The two-year study was made by a team of nutritionists, biochemists, physicians and technicians and included records of food eaten as well as analyses of blood samples and medical examinations.

The results show that if the breadwinner is to keep healthy and on the job, ways must be found to give him his three well-balanced meals a day, says Dr. MacLean J. Babcock, in charge of the study. He adds that substituting snacks, offering little except calories, for balanced meals usually means that a man gets too few of the nutrients required for a good day's work.

A fourth of the men were low in calcium, needed for sound bones and teeth and proper functioning of muscles and nerves. Because the important food for calcium is milk, a pint of milk a day or its equivalent in milk products has long been recommended for an adult man. Yet 30 per cent of these industrial workers drank less than half a pint of milk a day.

Blood analyses showed that a fourth of the men were low in vitamin C, corresponding to food records showing that they ate too few citrus fruits, tomatoes and leafy-green vegetables.

Forty-four per cent of the men were overweight. Food records showed that many had only a cup of coffee and a sweet roll for breakfast and then eased midmorning hunger with high calorie snacks sold at the plant. This kind of eating not only leads to obesity but causes a lack of appetite for foods rich in minerals and vitamins. The records and medical examinations revealed not only a shortage of calcium and vitamin C but also of other vitamins, particularly the important B-vitamins, thiamine and riboflavin. —Exchange.

The United States gained sovereignty of the canal strip of Panama by the Hay-Bunau-Varilla Treaty of November 18, 1903.

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[Cl]over Hill Personals

[Cl]over Hill, August 17.- The Rev. [and] Mrs. Dale Doverspike, of Miami, Florida spent Thursday night [with] his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. [...] Hanenkrat. Mr. Doverspike is [a chap]lain in the U. S. Army and is [going] to Korea.

[Mr.] and Mrs. Jim Conner and [...] Buddy and Bobby; Sonny Conner, Buddy Day, Wayne and Larry [...] and Mr. and Mrs. James [...] and two sons, Arnold "Booby" went on a camping [trip to] Staunton River Park Saturday night.

[Mr.] and Mrs. Charles Torrence [and] family and Russell Conner and [Mrs.] Allen and Mary, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Bon[...], of Lynchburg.

[Mrs.] Frances Ferguson, of Lynchburg and Miss Vivian Spradlin, of [...] are spending this week with [their] uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. [...] Conner.

[Miss] Brenda Jefferson, of Am[herst] is visiting in the T. M. Rich[...] home.

[Mr.] and Mrs. R. B. Ferguson, of [Balti]more, Md. were guests of Mr. [and Mrs.] Twyman Baldwin Tuesday [and] Wednesday of last week.

[Mrs.] Harry Jenkins was carried [by am]bulance to Memorial Hospital, [Lyn]chburg, Monday morning. She is [still] ill.

[Ge]orge Ray Baldwin has been re[leased] from the hospital, and is con[valesc]ing at his home here.

[W]eek-end guests of the Jacob [...] family were Mr. and Mrs. [...] Vaughan and family and Mr. [Ma]thew Marker, of Victoria; Mr. [and] Mrs. Edwin Vaughan and children, of Newport News; Lloyd [Vau]ghan, of Farmville, and Mr. and [Mrs.] Franklin Vaughan, of Spout [Spr]ings.

[M]essers. Gene and Allen Torrence [and] Mrs. Frances Conner visited [Mrs.] Levi Woodson, of Amherst on [Sun]day.

[En]joying an old-fashioned brunswick stew with Mr. and Mrs. C. D. [Tor]rence and family and Mr. and [Mrs.] D. E. Torrence on Wednesday [of] last week were Mr. and Mrs. [...] Torrence and son, Frank; Mr. [and] Mrs. Vern Torrence and son [...]; Mr. and Mrs. Elliot Torrence and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Conner and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Torrence, and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Conner and family.

Mrs. Mary Copenhaver is recuperating at the home of her mother, Mrs. W. P. Gills from an accident she sustained early in the spring. She hopes to resume her work as a teacher in Richmond this fall.

Pamplin

Pamplin, August 17.- Among those who attended the Rosser reunion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Rosser, of Cullen Sunday were Mrs. C. C. Rosser, Alex Rosser, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Rosser and daughter, Eloise; Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Rosser and son, William, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rosser.

Mrs. W. C. Gilliam and Mrs. Lena Wood, of Lynchburg are spending this week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Gilliam.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Wingfield, of Richmond were week-end guests in the home of her mother, Mrs. H. T. Terry.

Week-end guests in the home of Mrs. Lauretta Cole were Mrs. Norman Anderson, of Milford, Nebraska; Mr. and Mrs. Marvan O'Dey, of Tillen, Nezraska; Miss Cornelia Jamerson, of Kingston, N. C., Mr. and Mrs. Howard McClure, of Chilhowie, and Clarence Pankey, of Roanoke.

Miss Georgie Couch, of Philadelphia is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Terry.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Spain, of Richmond were week-end visitors in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Dickerson.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. K. L. McClenny, of Farmville Friday were Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Davis, Harry Staples, Mrs. E. N. Harvey and son, Wilson, and Mrs. N. L. McClenny.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Gilliam and daughter, Linda visited relatives in Lynchburg Sunday.

Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Richardson were Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Fore and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Grover Fore and family, of Lynchburg.

Mrs. Lauretta Cole and her visitors went on a picnic to Holliday Lake Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Guthery, of Lynchburg were week-end visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Davis.

Mrs. Kenneth Farrar and daughter, Norma Katherine are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Farrar.

Mrs. Bessie Truax, of New York is visiting her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Baldwin.

Miss Lucile Paulette, who has held a position in Alexandria for some time, has returned to her home here.

Mrs. J. W. D. Canada has returned from a visit to her sisters at Halifax and Phenix.

Mr. and Mrs. K. L. McClenny and daughter, Betty, of Farmville, visited relatives here Sunday.

Beckham

Beckham, August 17.- Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Morris were Mr. and Mrs. Abner Martin and son, of Lynchburg; Mr. and Mrs. David Martin and daughter Pam; Mr. Bob Martin and sons, Randolph and Bently. Those visiting in the afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Martin, Jr., and daughters, Faye and Janet; Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Drinkard and daughter, Marietta; Mr. and Mrs. Ed Andrews, of Roanoke; Mr. and Mrs. Herman Moore, Jr. and daughter, Dorothy Jane, of Richmond.

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jutson Morris and family were Mr. and Mrs. Joel Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Winston Matrin and daughter, Gloria; Mr. and Mrs. Evans Ferguson and family and Howard Blanks, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Moore, Jr. and daughters, Dorothy Jane and Dianne visited in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Moore Sunday.

Mrs. Alice Grow visited in the home of Mrs. T. M. Martin last week.

Isabelle Coleman, Mildred Moore and Glenn Morris visited in the home of Mrs. Bob Martin last week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Tyree and son, Douglas visited her mother Mrs. T. M. Martin last Wednesday and Thursday.

Randolph Martin preached at the Beaulah Methodist Church, Stapleton, Va., last Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Weakley visited Mrs. D. J. Franklin, who is ill in the Virginia Baptist Hospital.

The M. Y. F. of Trinity Methodist Church will have a hamburger fry Saturday night at Mr. and Mrs. Jutson Morris'.

Wayne Wingfield visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Moore last week.

Alice Faye Martin visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Ferguson last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ashby Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Len Martin, Alfred Carol Martin and Alvin Bell visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Chick last Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. William Moore, of Lynchburg, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ray Moore.

ELLEN WHITEHEAD TO BE QUEEN AT JOUSTING TOURNAMENT

Natural Chimneys 133rd annual Jousting Tournament will be graced by a true "Ladie Faire" in the person of Miss Ellen Whitehead, of Chatham, Virginia. She may justly be described as beautiful and possessing a natural unspoiled charm even though she has many times been a winner in beauty contests.

Less than a month ago the state of Virginia proudly presented her as its contestant for the title of Miss Universe in California. While not a winner, this time Ellen made the Old Dominion proud of one of her beautiful daughters. In fact she was runner-up in this world-wide contest where competition was keen. It was simply because of a birth date. It just happened that Ellen is only seventeen and entrants were supposed to be eighteen.

Who knows—given another year to grow even more beautiful and charming, Ellen may be looking for other worlds to conquer.

Miss Whitehead's background is just good old average American heritage. Her father, S. Leslie Whitehead, operates a department store in Chatham, with Ellen's able assistance. She punches a clock regularly and tells you proudly, "I get off from work at 5:30 and you can call me after that time." The other members of her family are her mother, an older sister, Ann, whose "hand me downs" Ellen has many times blossomed out in, and a younger brother, Sammy, who loves to tease her. To say the least, they are all very proud of their beautiful girl but try hard not to show it.

The Natural Chimneys Jousting Tournament has seen many beautiful queens in the 133 years of its history. Don't tell the others .. but the mirror on the wall will lilekly say, "Ellen, fairest of them all."

EGG PRICES EXPECTED LOWER THAN 1953

Record egg production expected during the rest of the year likely will hold prices considerably below 1953.

Poultry marketing specialists at VPI say the greatest percentage gain in output over 1953 probably will occur in August or September.

The springtime lows of egg prices came relatively late this year. A relatively slow seasonal increase in production from December to the beginning of January was partly responsible. During February production rose sharply. Prices broke and then declined slowly at most levels of trade until late June. Since then prices of large eggs have risen slightly.

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Swift's Pre-sliced PICKLE & PIMENTO	pk. 25c
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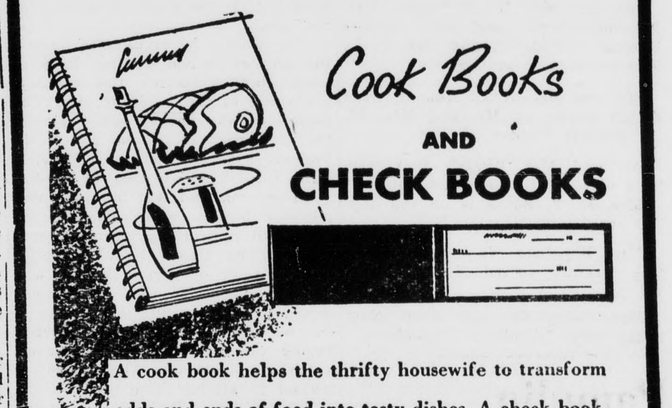

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